

**IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
FOR THE DISTRICT OF NEBRASKA**

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,

Plaintiff,

VS.

HELEN NGUYEN
JAMES LAU,

Defendant.

8:22CR136

ORDER

This matter is before the court on the defendant James Lau's Unopposed Motion to Continue Trial [32]. Counsel needs additional time to complete plea negotiations and review discovery. The court has been advised the co-defendant does not object to the motion. For good cause shown,

IT IS ORDERED that the Unopposed Motion to Continue Trial [32] is granted, as follows:

1. The jury trial, as to all defendants, now set for November 29, 2022, is continued to **January 31, 2023**.
2. In accordance with 18 U.S.C. § 3161(h)(7)(A), the court finds that the ends of justice will be served by granting this continuance and outweigh the interests of the public and the defendant in a speedy trial. Any additional time arising as a result of the granting of this motion, that is, the time between **today's date and January 31, 2023**, shall be deemed excludable time in any computation of time under the requirement of the Speedy Trial Act. Failure to grant a continuance would deny counsel the reasonable time necessary for effective preparation, taking into account the exercise of due diligence. 18 U.S.C. § 3161(h)(7)(A) & (B)(iv).

DATED: November 10, 2022

BY THE COURT:

s/ Susan M. Bazis
United States Magistrate Judge